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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PDIP, WMO, SZ, VS

SUBJECT: PRG ISSUE AT WMO

REF: A. TOKYO 3036; B. TOKYO 3346; C. GENEVA 1754

1. DESPITE REPEATED DEMARCHE BY GVN EMBASSY AND US WITH FONOFF
ON PRG ISSUE AT 7TH WMO CONFERENCE, GOJ FINALLY ABSTAINED.
FONOFF (ICHIOKA) INFORMED GVN EMBASSY GOJ CABLE TO SECRETARIAT STATED
"GOJ VOTE CAN IN NO WAY BE INTERPRETED AS RECOGNITION
OF PRG AS A COUNTRY OR STATE." AT LAST MINUTE, GVN EMBASSY
ASKED GOJ, TO NO AVAIL, TO SIMPLY NOT VOTE RATHER THAN ABSTAIN.
FONOFF CONTENDED UNTIL END THAT "OBSERVER STATUS" WAS INFERIOR
TO FULL PARTICIPATION BY GVN AND THEREFORE DID NOT HARM
GVN'S POSITION.

2. COMMENT: AS NOTED EARLIER (REF A), KHMER AND SVN SITUATION
AND US CONGRESSIONAL ATTITUDES ARE HAVING IMMEDIATE PRACTICAL
IMPACT IN ERODING FONOFF'S FIRM OPPOSITION TO PRG. WMO VOTING
SLIP SUPPLIED BY GENEVA (REF C) MAY HAVE HELPED PREVENT
FAVORABLE VOTE BY GOJ ON OBSERVER STATUS FOR PRG.

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